

# ***Tennessee Bed Space and Operating Capacities Report***

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**TDOC BED SPACE AND OPERATING CAPACITIES  
ON  
September 28, 2006**

INSTITUTION	Total Beds	September 28, 2006					Facility Characteristics			
		Established Operating Capacity %		Assigned Capacity % %			Female	Classification	Maximum Security	Special Purpose Facilities
		# Inmates	Total Beds	# Inmates	Total Beds	Operating Capacity				
Brushy Mountain Correctional Complex****	590	584	99.0%	552	93.6%	94.5%		X	X	
Charles B. Bass Correctional Complex*	1,110	1,099	99.0%	1,054	95.0%	95.9%		X		
DeBerry Special Needs Facility**	800	736	92.0%	686	85.8%	93.2%	**		X	X
Hardeman County Correctional Center	2,016	1,976	98.0%	2,000	99.2%	101.2%				
Morgan County Correctional Complex	1,013	1,003	99.0%	973	96.1%	97.0%				
Mark H. Luttrell Correctional Center	440	436	99.1%	416	94.5%	95.4%	X			
Northeast Correctional Complex	1,856	1,819	98.0%	1,817	97.9%	99.9%				
Northwest Correctional Complex	2,425	2,377	98.0%	2,337	96.4%	98.3%				
Riverbend Maximum Security	736	714	97.0%	712	96.7%	99.7%			X	
South Central Correctional Complex	1,676	1,642	98.0%	1,649	98.4%	100.4%				
Southeastern Tennessee RCF	981	971	99.0%	955	97.3%	98.4%				
Turney Center	1,136	1,113	98.0%	1,106	97.4%	99.4%				
Tennessee Prison for Women	775	744	96.0%	733	94.6%	98.5%	X	X	X	X
Wayne County Boot Camp	450	446	99.1%	418	92.9%	93.7%				X
Whiteville Correctional Facility***	1,536	1,505	98.0%	1,523	99.2%	101.2%				
West Tennessee State Penitentiary	2,582	2,505	97.0%	2,510	97.2%	100.2%		X	X	
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>20,122</b>	<b>19,670</b>	<b>97.8%</b>	<b>19,441</b>	<b>96.6%</b>	<b>98.8%</b>				

\*Middle TN Reception Center (MTRC) was renamed Charles B. Bass Correctional Complex on July 1, 2004.

\*\* As of January 14, 2002 DeBerry Special Needs Facility no longer housed female inmates.

\*\*\*The Whiteville Correctional Facility (WCFA) opened October 28, 2002.

\*\*\*\*Brushy Mountain Correctional Complex and Morgan County Correctional Complex were separated on June 25, 2006.

Operation capacity percentage is of total beds and Assigned capacity percentage is of Operation capacity.

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# POPULATION AVERAGES BY MONTH

Operational Capacity		BMCX	CBCX	DSNF	HCCF	MCCX	MLRC	NECX	NWCX	RMSI	SCCF	STSR	TCIP	TPFW	WCBC	WCFA	WTSP	TOTAL
		584	1,099	736	1,976	1,003	436	1,819	2,377	714	1,642	971	1,113	744	446	1,505	2,505	19,670
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Jul-06	Inhouse	547	1,015	657	1,968	971	401	1,795	2,291	682	1,637	946	1,095	739	406	1,491	2,466	19,107
	Assigned	550	1,036	666	1,993	976	404	1,818	2,321	693	1,654	953	1,104	746	408	1,521	2,514	19,357
Aug-06	Inhouse	551	1,016	655	1963	966	400	1,802	2,293	692	1,631	938	1,094	727	407	1,487	2,464	19,086
	Assigned	554	1,037	668	1992	972	403	1,828	2,324	702	1,650	945	1,102	735	409	1,518	2,510	19,349
Sep-06	Inhouse	552	1,034	673	1,965	968	416	1,789	2,294	702	1,627	944	1,095	725	418	1,492	2,460	19,154
	Assigned	552	1,054	686	2,000	973	416	1,817	2,337	712	1,649	955	1,106	733	418	1,523	2,510	19,441
Oct-06	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
Nov-06	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
Dec-06	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
TOTAL	Inhouse	550	1,022	662	1,965	968	406	1,795	2,293	692	1,632	943	1,095	730	410	1,490	2,463	19,116
FY06-07 AVG	Assigned	552	1,042	673	1,995	974	408	1,821	2,327	702	1,651	951	1,104	738	412	1,521	2,511	19,382
InHouse as a % of Operating Capacity		94.2%	93.0%	89.9%	99.5%	96.6%	93.0%	98.7%	96.4%	96.9%	99.4%	97.1%	98.4%	98.2%	92.0%	99.0%	98.3%	97.2%

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# POPULATION AVERAGES FOR FISCAL YEARS 1998/1999 - 2006/2007

		BMCX	CBCX	DSNF	DSNF	HCCF	MCCX	MLRC	NECX	NWCX	RMSI	SCCF	STSR	TCIP	TPFW	WCBC	WCFA	WTSP	TOTAL	Total Operational Capacity
				M	F			F							F					06/30/98
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,525	1,018	677	24	1,680	0	411	1,527	2,180	664	1,480	956	1,106	494	391	0	3,050	15,715	17,127
98-99 AVG	Assigned	1,546	1,034	683	24	1,707	0	429	1,542	2,204	669	1,497	956	1,117	501	392	0	3,083	15,910	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,517	1,009	693	21	1,965	0	335	1,517	2,117	664	1,485	954	1,100	471	393	0	2,304	16,546	17,188
99-00 AVG	Assigned	1,539	1,025	698	22	1,995	0	338	1,530	2,138	668	1,502	960	1,110	475	394	0	2,349	16,742	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,539	994	680	16	1,990	0	404	1,609	2,152	676	1,542	929	1,100	466	410	0	2,415	16,922	17,729
00-01 AVG	Assigned	1,561	1,007	684	16	2,019	0	408	1,621	2,179	680	1,560	936	1,113	469	412	0	2,455	17,120	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,532	1,016	702	11	2,002	0	393	1,714	2,267	698	1,653	933	1,109	621	369	0	2,479	17,496	17,975
01-02 AVG	Assigned	1,554	1,028	704	11	2,028	0	395	1,727	2,304	702	1,676	943	1,125	628	370	0	2,518	17,725	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,529	1,010	685	0	1,977	0	407	1,731	2,275	703	1,645	922	1,105	604	401	892	2,476	17,769	19,690
02-03 AVG	Assigned	1,549	1,022	687	0	2,007	0	411	1,746	2,307	709	1,668	926	1,118	611	401	911	2,515	17,983	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,525	1,015	738	0	1,947	0	414	1,807	2,288	706	1,607	942	1,093	715	413	1,474	2,432	19,116	19,670
03-04 AVG	Assigned	1,544	1,028	747	0	1,971	0	418	1,830	2,320	712	1,630	948	1,106	724	414	1,505	2,474	19,374	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,533	1,014	715	0	1,952	0	415	1,802	2,278	700	1,615	942	1,094	723	405	1,475	2,472	19,135	19,670
04-05 AVG	Assigned	1,552	1,031	727	0	1,972	0	419	1,827	2,310	709	1,640	947	1,106	733	407	1,507	2,516	19,403	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,521	1,040	656	0	1,964	0	416	1,800	2,285	695	1,628	944	1,091	732	406	1,489	2,476	19,123	19,670
05-06 AVG	Assigned	1,533	1,059	669	0	1,987	0	419	1,824	2,314	707	1,651	950	1,101	740	404	1,518	2,516	19,380	
TOTAL	Inhouse	550	1,022	662	0	1,965	968	406	1,795	2,293	692	1,632	943	1,095	730	410	1,490	2,463	19,116	19,670
06-07 AVG	Assigned	552	1,042	673	0	1,995	974	408	1,821	2,327	702	1,651	951	1,104	738	412	1,521	2,511	19,382	

Due to operational changes that have occurred at various facilities, please note the following:

- MLCC transitioned from a male to a female facility in FY 1999-00.
- DSNF transitioned from a coed facility to a male facility in FY 2001/2002
- WCFA opened October 28, 2002.
- BMCX and MCCX were separated on June 25, 2006

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# DEFINITIONS

## **TOTAL BEDS AVAILABLE**

Institutional capacity designed and constructed for housing inmates sentenced by courts. This category includes general prisoner population, segregation, classification, and special programs, e.g., mental health and health.

## **TDOC OPERATING CAPACITY (DESIGNATED CAPACITY)**

**Reference: TCA 41-1-503**

Operating capacity is based upon the number of total beds available and the designated use of certain beds. The OPERATING CAPACITY indicates the population which should be assigned to the institution on a regular basis. The underlying logic is to exclude from capacity beds for special purposes such as medical or mental health reasons, disciplinary segregation, protective custody, and maximum security. The Department's operating capacity is currently set at 98% of total beds available.

## **POPULATION**

The POPULATION reported is the assigned count on the last day of the month. It includes inmates on furlough, out to court for appearances, in the hospital, or on escape status. All of these are expected to return to in-house custody.